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C O N F I D E N T I A L LIBREVILLE 1690

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORT, OAU, OEXC

SUBJ: OAU SOUTH AFRICA SPORTS BOYCOTT-II

REF: LIBREVILLE 1660

1. EMBASSY HAS OBTAINED COPY OF OAU CM DRAFT RESOLUTION ON SPORTINGLINKS WITH SOUTH AFRICA WHICH CONFIRMS INFORMATION REPORTED LIBREVILLE 1660.

2. RESOLUTION: (A) NOTES IMPRESSIVE IMPACT OF OLYMPIC BOYCOTT; (B) NOTES BOYCOTT OF COMMONWEALTH AND WORLD TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS; (C) REITERATES STRONG CONDEMNATION OF ALL COUNTRIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WHICH CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN SPORTING LINKS WITH SOUTH AFRICA; (D) APPEALS TO NEW ZEALAND TO RENOUNCE SPORTING LINKS WITH SOUTH AFRICA; (E) CALLS UPON ALL OAU MEMBERS TO REFRAIN FROM PARTICIPATING IN ANY SPORTING EVENTS IN WHICH A NATIONAL SPORTING ASSOCIATION, PARTICULARLY FROM NEW ZEALAND, IS ALSO TAKING PART; AND (F) CALLS UPON OAU SECGEN IN COOPERATION WITH SUPREME COUNCIL FOR SPORT IN AFRICA TO FOLLOW UP IMPLEMENTATION.

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3. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS SENEGAL AND IVORY COAST WERE PRINCIPAL ADVOCATES OF THIS DECISION, WITH APPARENTLY ONLY GAMBIA AMONG ANGLOPHONES SPEAKING STRONGLY AGAINST RESOLUTION.

4. AS REPORTED LIBREVILLE 1676, OAU MINISTERIAL HAS

ALSO RECOMMENDED THAT SUPREME COUNCIL FOR FPORT BE
RECOGNIZED AS OAU AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION, PROPOSAL
WHICH IS EXPECTED TO BE RUBBER STAMPED BY SUMMIT. STEIGMAN

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